

## Message Text

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C O N F I D E N T I A L STATE 039072

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: NATO, ETEL

SUBJECT: COMMENTS ON NATO TASK FORCE NUMBER 6 DRAFT

REF: STATE 37500

1. FOLLOWING SUBPARAGRAPH 4N WAS INADVERTENTLY OMITTED  
FROM REFERENCE:

QUOTE. N. WE BELIEVE THAT THE PROPOSAL REGARDING  
MISSILE WARNING INFORMATION MAY BE PREMATURE. WE WILL  
LIKELY CONCLUDE THAT A SPECIAL FORMAT, LOW-SPEED REPORT  
MIGHT BE TRANSMITTED TO SHOC USING EXISTING COMMUNI-  
CATIONS FACILITIES AS A SHORT-TERM RESPONSE. ALSO,  
WE BELIEVE THE PROPOSAL SHOULD BE STRENGTHENED WITH A  
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DISCUSSION OF THE OBJECTIVES TO BE MET THROUGH THE  
ESTABLISHMENT OF THE TWENTY-FOUR HOUR WATCH. FINALLY,  
WE URGE THE TASK FORCE TO CONSIDER PROPOSING THE EARLY  
SELECTION AND TRAINING OF WARNING ANALYSTS, PERHAPS  
WITH US ASSISTANCE. THIS SHOULD BE A RELATIVELY LOW  
COST WAY TO PROCEED UNTIL THE COMPLETE PROGRAM  
IS APPROVED. UNQUOTE.

2. SUBPARAGRAPHS 4N AND 4P IN REFERENCE SHOULD BE  
RENUMBERED 4P AND 4Q RESPECTIVELY. VANCE

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